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The Gibson tableaux and music in Peirce hall on Wednesday evening, the 3d inst., given under the auspices of St. John's church guild, was a complete success from every point of view.

A large and fashionable audience completely filled the hall and applauded vigorously all the pictures and musical numbers.

Gibson's strongest and most popular pictures were taken as subjects for the tableaux and it would be difficult to find models that would more fittingly fill and look the parts than those selected for the entertainment.

Every tableau was as true to the great artist's pictures as one could conceive. Great care and expense had been taken to make them as near perfect in every way as could possibly be and one did not have to refer to the programme to name the subject.

Between every two pictures choice selections of music were rendered by some of the best talent in the city, which added much to the pleasures of the evening.

The programme of the evening was as follows:

Piano Selection, Mr. Hatch.

1. Is a Caddy a Ways Necessary? Miss Yates, J. Byron Shannon.

2. "Love's Dream," Quartette Mrs. Frye, Miss Woods, Miss Taylor, Miss Leavitt.

3. The Only Pebble on the Beach, Miss Bleeker, the Misses Mead, Miss Caroline Bradford, Robert Brown.

4. Song, Mrs. Spiney. Selected

5. Is Bicycling Bad for the Heart? Miss Sallie Bradford, J. W. Washburn.

6. "The Highwayman," Mr. Caswell. Wordington

7. Golf is a Good Game for Two, Miss Yates, J. Byron Shannon.

8. Song, with Violin Obligato, Miss Henrietta Mead. Selected

9. Wonders of Palmistry—in which he is told he will marry a blonde, but he will have to speak quickly, Miss Louise Hovey, Percy Penhallow.

10. Song, Mr. Jackson. Selected

11. A Bachelor's Supper—He tries to speak, but his lips refuse to say the words he would utter, Miss Mead, Miss Bleeker, Miss Blake, Miss Pitts, Miss Harrington, Commander J. J. Bleeker, U. S. N.

12. Song, Mrs. Frye. Selected

13. Their Presence of Mind—They had been in their room but a moment when they were startled by a knock, Helen Loughton, Joseph Jecko, Fred Parsons. Selected

14. Song, Mr. Caswell. Selected

15. A Little Story—By a Sieve, Beatrice Foster, Percy Penhallow, Joseph Jecko.

16. Waltz Song, Mrs. Spiney. Arditte

17. The Night Before Her Wedding—"For She's a Jolly Good Fellow," Miss Edith Bradford, Miss Henrietta Mead, Miss Boney, Miss Yates, Miss Blake, Miss Bleeker, Miss Harrington, Miss Sallie Bradford, Miss Louise Hovey.

18. "There's One That I Love Dearly," Quartette.

Following the tableaux general dancing was in order and refreshments were served.

The lemonade table was presided over by Mrs. Stoddard, Miss Bracy and Miss Mugridge.

Candy table, Miss Hatch, Miss Langdon and Miss Margaret Hatch.

The following young ladies served ice cream and cake: Misses Newton, Sampson, Foote, Law, White, Langdon, Junkins and Philbrick.

Cashier, Miss Helen Tilton.

It was a perfect success and great credit is due Mrs. Henry E. Hovey, under whose personal supervision the affair was carried out.

A FARMINGTON HERMIT.

What a Boston Globe Correspondent Has to Say About Him.

The Boston Globe tells us of a hermit of local interest. It is Charles A. Furber of Farmington now in his 75th year. He is the son of Augustus and Sarah Furber and was born in Portsmouth in 1823. His brother John lives in Kingston while his sister lives in this city. His wife died 30 years ago and he has one daughter, Mrs. McDuffee of Dover. The interior of his small house is lighted by a single window.

In response to questions the old man said:

"Why do I live the life of a hermit? Simply because I got tired of women and the world in general; so I bought an acre of land out here in the forest and moved this little hut, in which crazy Phebe Cook spent her last days from the village. Up there on the ceiling you can see where the bars behind which she was confined, were fastened.

"There is too much going on in the village. I could not live there, but am contented here, by myself, where I can go to bed when I please, and get up

wherever I get ready, with no woman to boss me around.

"How do I manage to live? Well, last fall, after working at odd jobs for neighboring farmers, I had a few quarts of beans that I raised and a few quarts of Indian meal that was given me, and this with the skimmed milk that I have bought, about a quart a week, has sufficed for the winter thus far. The skimmed milk cost me two cents a quart, and if you count those blue chalk marks up there beside the door you will find that I have had just 20 quarts and a pint—that short mark signifies the pint—just 41 cents worth, which represents my living expenses for the winter.

"In politics I am a Republican, and I never missed voting since I became of age, except at one election, just previous to which I met with an accident, by which one of my legs was broken.

It is the old man's custom to pay a visit to his daughter twice each year, and he has occasionally journeyed to his former home in Newington. His daughter appears to be the only human being in whom he takes an interest.

"MICKEY" IN LIMBO.

"Mickey" Norton, fresh from the rapidly growing green fields of Brentwood alighted from the 10:10 train on Wednesday noon and proceeded to look up old acquaintances. Two boon companions were soon on Mickey's staff and they canvassed the town. "Mickey" found that there was no decrease in the amount of red liquor since last in Portsmouth and growing tired climbed into the back of a wagon on Market Square and went to sleep. His nap was interrupted by Marshal Estow and Officer West who quietly drove "Mickey" to headquarters and dropped down the tail board. "Mickey" was so mad at being disturbed that he called the officers bad names and stove up the cell furnishings.

HENNESSEY-AHEARN.

The marriage of Mrs. Katie Hennessey, a well-known and popular lady, and Michael Ahearn, on Tuesday morning, the 2d inst., was witnessed by a number of friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. M. O'Callaghan and a reception followed at their new home on Bow street. The groom is a well-known and popular employee of the Portsmouth Brewing company. They were the recipients of a number of elegant presents.

PINKHAM IS SAFE.

The many friends of J. Ellsworth Pinkham of Kittery Point, who is a member of the crew of the gunboat Yorktown under the name of John Ellsworth, and was captured with Lieutenant Gilmore on the west coast of Luzon by the insurgents, will be glad to learn that he is safe and unharmed and that Admiral Dewey is negotiating for the exchange of the prisoners.

POLICE COURT.

Michael Norton was arraigned before Judge Emery in police court this morning on two charges. The first accused him of being drunk on Market square and to this "Mickey" did not demur, 90 days at the county jail was the punishment. The next warrant charged him with maliciously injuring property at the police station to the amount of \$1. This also he admitted and was fined \$3 and costs, taxed at \$6.90.

PORTSMOUTH BUILT VESSEL ASHORE.

The three masted schooner Alice B. Phillips, built at this port in 1883 and hauling from New Haven, Conn., went ashore near Race Point, Cape Cod on Wednesday morning during a thick fog and heavy gale. The vessel rested in an easy position and it is thought can be floated. The crew remained by her.

Hugh McDonough.

Hugh McDonough died at his home in Manchester of noon Wednesday. He leaves a widow, three daughters, Annie, Mary and Louise, and three sons, Richard E., Thomas F., and Hugh, all of Manchester, and one brother, Richard, of this city.

OBSEQUIES.

The funeral services of little Allen Evans were held from the home of his parents on Maplewood avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, the 3d inst., Rev. O. LeV. Brice officiating. Interment was in Harmony Grove cemetery by O. W. Ham.

MEN WITH GILMORE.

List Sent to Washington By Admiral Dewey.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The following cablegram has been received from Admiral Dewey:

MANILA, May 3.—The following are the Yorktown prisoners at insurgent headquarters at Sanisidro: Lieutenant Gilmore.

William Walton, chief quarter-master.

Paul Vandoit, sailmaker's mate.

John Ellsworth, coxswain.

Albert Peterson, apprentice, third class.

Sylvia Brisoese, landsman.

Lyman Paul Edwards, landsman.

Fred Anderson, landsman.

Provisions have been sent to them by Otis. I am continuing inquiries as to the fate of the other seven.

The unaccounted for are as follows: John Dillon, landsman.

Charles Albert Morrissey, landsman.

O. R. McDonald, ordinary seaman.

William Minders, coxswain.

O. Lison W. Woodbury, seaman of Lynn, Mass.

Densell George Arthur Venville, apprentice.

E. J. Nygard, gunnersmate.

It is said at the navigation bureau that there is every reason to believe that those missing sailors are not dead or at least not all of them. The naval officers here believe that some of the Yorktown's crew succeeded in making their way into the lines of the Spanish garrison at Baler where they would be well treated. Admiral Dewey is now striving to get into communication with the garrison at Baler.

A KITTERY, ME., BOY'S SUCCESS.

Lawyer Carroll Bartlett Appointed to Responsible Position.

Charles Carroll Bartlett, who has been chosen successor to Dr. J. Q. A. Henry as superintendent of the Law Enforcement league, is an attorney in the Chamber of Commerce building and for years has been identified with similar reform work. Dr. Henry has been chosen superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league of the state of New York. His retirement has made the entire reorganization of the league necessary, and the work will hereafter be conducted in a somewhat different way than previously.

The new superintendent is 31 years old, and resides at 1623 Fulton street. He is a lawyer and has lived in Chicago six years. He is a colleague of Dartmouth, a graduate of the Boston University law school, is secretary of the Forward Movement, and has served on the board of managers of the West Side Young Men's Christian association for four years.—Chicago Journal.

He is a son of Charles H. Bartlett of Kittery and has hosts of friends there who will learn with much pleasure of his success.

CAPTURED CANNON MOUNTED.

Guns Taken From Cervera's Fleet Now on Exhibition.

The Spanish guns captured from the Vizcaya and Maria Teresa of the Spanish navy, at Santiago, on July 3d, have been mounted in the gun park at the navy yard. The work was completed on Wednesday, the 3d inst., by Commander Bleeker, U. S. N., and his force, and now attract much attention. A placard which gives the history of the big cannon has been attached.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED.

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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AT THE BOWLING ALLEY.

The candle pin tournament at the Schurman alleys was concluded on Wednesday evening and Wm. Webb proved the winner of the cigars.

Jero Lynes, who was next to the six who won the right to compete, rolled in place of Dondero, who was absent.

The scores were: J. Lynes, 240. F. Woods, 259. Wm. Webb, 269. Wingate, 200. Horace Webb, 206.

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GREENLAND

GREENLAND, May 3.

The Greenland dancing school are to give a reception next Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Eaton spent their first night in their lately purchased home last night.

A delegation was around town yesterday informing the local blacksmiths of a meeting to be held in Portsmouth last night for the purpose of raising the prices of blacksmith work. Since the increase in the price of iron the blacksmiths believe that they should have more money for their labor. Let us hope they get it.

George C. Wiggin was in Portsmouth yesterday.

Some of our local fishermen spent last evening in what is called bobbing. "Is it wonder if they got wet?"

It is funny that fishermen generally use two kinds of bait, one for the fish and the other "Well you know."

We think that our local newspaper must have gone down with all on board, let us hope it has not for we do like a little opposition.

Mrs. Charles Eastman was in Portsmouth last evening.

Mr. Charles Johnston spent yesterday in Kingston, N. H.

Mr. Harrie Holmes was in Portsmouth yesterday.

Several overcoats were seen last night and we fully believe they were comfortable for the thermometer changed 40 degrees between Monday night and Tuesday morning.

Some of our base ball cranks are terribly sore about their diamond being used as a park. We don't blame you, boys.

The writer wishes he had been born as lucky as some folks, but we all can't have pie.

Some of the people of this town are just beginning to find out that the Herald is bound to get all the news. Did you receive your sample copy? If not, ask your agent for one.

Prayer meeting last night.

GREENLAND, May 4.

Mr. Daniel Mahoney of Portsmouth was in town yesterday.

Mr. P. H. Foley arrived home from Lawrence yesterday on the 2:25 train.

Mr. Thomas Scott was in Portsmouth yesterday.

The Greenland base ball team has been challenged by the Rye team to a game of ball Memorial day but they can't give such a good day to such a weak team.

We noticed that Harvard rubbed it into Exeter as bad as Dartmouth.

I wonder if we are ever to get another warm day?

The ball team was out practicing last night.

Mr. George A. Norton is again suffering with rheumatism. Too bad, we sympathize with you, George.

The masons and painters of this town are pretty busy.

We believe that we have one of the handsomest public libraries in this town that there is in this state. The library was a gift by Mrs. Caroline Weeks, lately deceased, let us hope that the building will ever be a remembrance of so benevolent a lady as well as an ornament to the town. The library is open every Wednesday and Saturday evening and afternoon where books will be supplied to residents of this town by our obliging and polite young librarian Miss Carrie Hatch.

The 9:30 freight yesterday morning over the Southern division of the B. and M. R. R., delayed some teams and

bicycles almost five minutes while they were unloading freight, better look out conductors you will be getting yourself in trouble.

The voice of the whip-poor-will was heard for the first time last evening.

Charles H. Brackett was in Portsmouth yesterday on business.

John A. Chapman was in Portsmouth yesterday.

There was a very heavy frost in town last night.

KITTERY.

Mr. Granville O. Berry passed Wednesday with friends at Kennebunk and attended a piano recital at Dover in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Bussey and Mrs. N. A. Pecoy attended the Odd Ladies' entertainment in Portsmouth last evening.

Regular meeting of E. G. Parker Post, G. A. R., No. 99, this evening.

Mark Boulter has moved into Mrs. Bill's house on Dame street, recently vacated by Percy Heulin.

A number from this town attended a dance held at Clement's hall, York beach on Wednesday. A special car came as far as Kittery after the dance.

Capt. Samuel H. Plisbury, Calvin L. Hayes and Edwin A. Duncan of Kittery went to Portland on Wednesday afternoon to attend the annual meeting and banquet of the Maine Commandery of the Loyal Legion, held in that city that evening.

Mr. F. P. Hodgdon has purchased the wood lot of the estate of W. F. Fernald situated at North Kittery, and the logs are hauled down to Spinney's creek, where they are rafted and towed by the tug H. A. Mathes to the sawmill of Mr. Bert Rowe at Sturgeon creek. It is estimated that there is about 180,000 feet of lumber in the lot.

HIS LIFE WAS SAVED.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo. lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected soon to die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Globe Grocery Co.'s drug stores every bottle guaranteed.

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At a meeting of the directors of the National Mechanics and Traders bank held on Monday, May 1st, Mr. William E. Marvin was elected a member of the board of directors.

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Warner Street.....	2,000
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Westworth Street.....	1,700
Sparks Street.....	1,700
Jefferson Street.....	1,700
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THE HERALD.

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1899.

GENTLEMAN'S NIGHT.

It was gentleman's night with the Star lodge, I. O. of U. O. L., on Wednesday evening, the 3d inst., and the husbands and brothers of the ladies were royally entertained in Red Men's hall. Music was furnished by Miss Ora Cook pianist, and the evening very pleasantly passed in playing whist, dominoes, checkers and other games. A bountiful supper was served, the menu consisting of salads, turkey, cold meats, cake, ice cream, coffee and cigars.

The committee of arrangements for the evening was as follows:

Chairman, Nellie Akerman;
Assistants, Charlotte Bennett, Emma Jenkins, Georgie Goldsmith, Agnes Brown, Nellie Fletcher, Susie Knowles, Celia Woods, Sarah Shannon.

COGHLAN TO RETAIN COMMAND.

It had been originally intended to detach Capt. Coghlan from command of the Raleigh at the conclusion of the festivities at Philadelphia, but when President McKinley visited the Quaker city he reconsidered that purpose, and decided that Capt. Coghlan should be left undisturbed in command of his gallant ship until it is placed out of commission at the Portsmouth, N. H., navy yard, about the first of June.

Some surprise is expressed at the navy department that the letter of reprimand sent by Secretary Long to Capt. Coghlan on account of his criticism of the German government has not been made public.

SUPREME COURT.

On Wednesday, the 3d inst., the case of Annie Dupont vs. Joseph Peltier of Plaistow, occupied most of the day. Peltier, aged twenty, pointed a gun at Annie Dupont, aged thirteen, and it went off, also Joseph, and in order to assess damages, testimony is being taken, hoping to reach property under a judgment.

Andrew R. Smith, drover, of Plymouth, sues W. L. Nichols of Exeter, for \$75.

The case of Paul vs. Tobey was then taken up and will be finished today. Eastman and Page and Bartlett were the opposing counsel.

Y. M. C. A. BICYCLE CLUB.

At a meeting of the wheelmen connected with the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday evening a road club was organized with the following officers:

President—H. P. Montgomery;
Captain—Roy Currier;
Lieutenant—R. W. Jenkins;
Secretary-Treasurer—W. H. Lord.

The committee on road runs will be appointed at once and will arrange for a month's schedule.

The new club starts with a large membership.

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GRAFFORT CLUB NOTICE.

The annual business meeting of the Graffort club will be held on Thursday afternoon, May 4th, at Pythian hall, at half-past three, instead of the usual hour. The election of officers for the ensuing year and a large amount of business will be brought before the club. It is most earnestly urged that the members will all attend and bring pencils and their copies of the by-laws.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

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INTERNAL REVENUE COLLECTIONS.

The internal revenue collections reported by Collector James A. Wood for the month of April were \$23,461.14. For the corresponding month of last year they were \$35,061.73.

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ALVARADO AND SANDOVAL ARRIVE

Spanish Gunboats Reached Here
Early This Afternoon.

Will Be Open to Inspection of Visitors Today
and Tomorrow.

What looked like two trim little steam yachts came churning their way in by the Shoals this noon and at one o'clock reached the harbor. A close view disclosed rapid-fire guns mounted fore and aft, and the inquiring soon found that the vessels in question were the Sandoval and Alvarado, the little Spanish gunboats which were the only fighting crafts to fall a prey to Uncle Sam's victorious squadrons in the West Indies during the Spanish war.

The vessels left Marblehead this morning and made a quick run to this port without incident.

These two small crafts have been a long time in reaching this port where they are to undergo repairs.

They left Guantanamo bay for this country in the company of the ill-fated Maria Teresa and arrived at the Norfolk navy yard Dec. 24. Since then they have been at Washington. They were the escorts of the Raleigh at New York last week, stopped at Providence and Woods Hole on the trip to Boston.

From Washington to New York and from Norfolk to Washington they took an inside route, partially from preference, and also to prove that these waterways are all right for the quick movement of small crafts from place to place on the coast.

They have been through the Chesapeake and Albemarle canals, through Back creek and Delaware canals, Delaware bay, Delaware and Raritan canal, Raritan river and Kill von Kill to New York bay.

The trip from Woods Hole around the cape was a very pleasant and rapid one, the officers explained, and all had a most pleasant time.

Boston was made more to coal ship and wait for pleasant weather before going to Marblehead than anything else.

Both boats are painted white. The Sandoval has a signal mast forward, and the Alvarado two masts, practically the regulation schooner yacht rig. They are faster ships of English build, each 110 feet long, slightly more than five feet draft, and showing but little more than three feet freeboard above the water line. Each is credited with being a 19 knot craft, but 13 knots is the best either has done on the trip from Cuba. They are 15 feet 5 inches in breadth, register a fraction over 100 tons in displacement, and are four years old, having been built at Clydebank in 1895.

Each has a six-pounder rapid gun, also an automatic one-pounder cannon, and really rate as torpedo boats. After they have been overhauled at Portsmouth and their rapid-fire batteries increased and strengthened, they will be listed as torpedo boat destroyers.

It was not the fault of the Spaniards that these gunboats fell into our hands. The Sandoval was in Guantanamo harbor when that place was captured. She was of such light draught that she was taken up the river, where our vessels could not follow her, and there her captain had her breech blocks thrown overboard and the boat sunk.

After lying on the oozy bottom for about six weeks, she was raised by the crew of the Marblehead, and found to be in a terrible condition. All her interior fittings had to be torn out and rebuilt. While she was being cleaned another instance of Spanish duplicity was found. A hole about three inches in diameter had been cut in her port side, just aft of the engine bulkheads. This was loosely closed by a wooden plug, the idea being that this would be driven out when she got to sea, and she would then fill and sink with all on board. The Spanish must have calculated that their loose methods of inspection were also followed in the American navy.

Another interesting point about her is that her single mast and her rigging is the topmast and topmast rigging of Spanish cruiser Maria Teresa, while her wheel and gear and her deck reel rope also once belonged to that craft and were taken from her to aid in fitting out the Sandoval at Guantanamo bay after she was raised.

The Alvarado, too, has a connection with the Maria Teresa, for she hooked on a tow line, tugged away for all she was worth in helping successfully float her, and then fired a national salute of 21 guns in honor of the addition to the American navy.

The Alvarado was in Santiago harbor when Cervera's fleet was destroyed, and was surrendered without sinking. She

was in such a filthy condition that about a ton of disinfectants had to be used before a crew could live aboard her.

The two gunboats are at present being navigated in Spanish, for all the engine signals are still in that language. The crew have mastered them, however, and are quite proud of their proficiency. Aboard the Sandoval are three men who are termed heroes. One is Rindolph Clausen, chief boat's mate, who was with Hobson in sinking the Merrimac. Another is Harry Teacle, a survivor of the Maine, and the third has more recently won his honors. He is F. H. Williams, a quartermaster of the third class. He saved the Sandoval from destruction by fire.

Dec. 11 last, just after leaving Port Royal, a fire was discovered in the forepeak. Williams was then a seaman. He was sent below to put the fire out. He discovered a blazing mass of oakum which he picked up and carried on deck where the fire was extinguished with a hose. He was frightfully burned. Williams is one of the boat's crew from the Marblehead that cut the cable at Cienfuegos.

NOTES.

The commander of the Alvarado is Lieut. J. L. Slicht, who relieved Lieut. Victor Blue, who brought her around from Cuba, at Washington. The boats carry 23 men including the petty officers.

Lieut. Edwin A. Anderson, who commands the Sandoval, and the senior officer, the "admiral of the fleet," he is called, is the hero of the cable cutting episode at Cienfuegos. Naval Cadet Evans, his assistant on the craft, is the son of Capt. "Bob" Evans.

The Alvarado's crew are still a majority of the prize crew from the Texas that participated in the Santiago fight under Capt. Phillip, and who afterwards, in the Alvarado, made such a plucky stand and hot fight with the fleet at the battle of Manzanillo when that port capitulated the day the peace protocol was signed.

The Alvarado stands today just as she was received from the Spaniards after the fall of Santiago, even to the crockery and table furnishings. She has the same guns, the same fittings, her crew are armed with Spanish musket rifles and small arms, she has 5000 rounds Spanish ammunition, in fact, as Lieut. John L. Slicht, her commander, expresses it, "she is just as she was when she was turned over to us, less about 15 tons of dirt and filth that we have managed to clean out of her at various times since she has flown the American flag."

PERSONALS

Judge E. H. Adams is in Exeter today.

Mrs. W. E. Chesley is a visitor in Boston today.

Charles F. Morrill of Dover was in town on Wednesday.

Hon. Frank Jones visited Brookline, Mass., on Wednesday.

Lawyers Page and Bartlett were in Exeter on Wednesday.

Mr. Oliver W. Ham was in Boston on Wednesday on business.

Dr. M. F. Smith of Hampton was a visitor here on Wednesday.

Miss Helen Ireland of Kittery is passing a few days in Dover.

Mrs. John Long of Pleasant street passed Wednesday in Dover.

Hon. John W. Sanborn of Sanbornville was in town on Wednesday.

County Commissioner L. L. deRoche was in Exeter on Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles C. Ives has gone to South Framingham, Mass., to reside.

Chairman Howard of the police commission was in Manchester on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis R. Drake of North Hampton passed Wednesday in this city on business.

Supt. Henry Bean of the county farm at Brantwood has been quite ill, threatened with pneumonia.

Mrs. Albert Lunt of Beverly was the guest of her mother, Mrs. John E. Lear of Warren street, on Wednesday.

C. A. Hazlett, Esq., cashier of the First National Bank, starts on Saturday for a three weeks' western business trip.

President Tuttle of the B. and M. railroad is at his desk again, after a rest of several weeks' duration at Old Point Comfort.

Mr. Frank Olney and Miss Irene Smith were married this morning at the rectory of the church of the Immaculate Conception.

Hon. John W. Sanborn, superintendent of the Northern division of the Boston and Maine railroad, was here on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McDonough were called to Manchester on Wednesday by the death of his brother, Mr. Hugh McDonough of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Dore of Richards avenue are shortly to start on a month's trip, during which they will visit New York, Philadelphia, Washington and places of interest in Virginia.

CITY BRIEFS.

A maid of high degree
Is she—
You see;
From her men flee,
Saying: "Geel!"
Detroit Journal

Wild violets are in bloom.
Spring seems to have come to stay.
Cold weather for summer underwear.
It was too cold for base ball yesterday.

United States court will be held in this city next week.

The Dyer divorce case is set for trial at Exeter tomorrow.

A good cigar is man's best enjoyment. Next try Dowd's Honest ten.

WANTED—Immediately, 20 first class painters. Apply at J. H. GARDINER'S, Conner, photographer, Studio, (formerly Nickerson's) No 1 Congress street.

According to the Boston Journal the Raleigh will be in Boston harbor about May 13th.

Good second-hand bicycles, \$10, \$12, \$15, \$20, ladies' and gents at 70 Pleasant street. Woods.

The "S. C." Londres is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

The Sandoval and Alvarado reached the navy yard at 12.30 this afternoon and tied up near the shears.

The regular meeting of St. John's Lodge, A. F. and A. M., was held on Wednesday evening, the 3d inst.

The Bowdoin college base ball team, which played in Cambridge yesterday, passed through here today on train No. 11.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church met with Mrs. G. B. Chadwick on Wednesday afternoon and evening.

A number of wooden poles on Den-net street are being removed by the electric road people and iron poles substituted.

Have your shoes repaired by John W. Mott, 34 Congress street. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hand sewed work a specialty.

A couple of baskets of carrier pigeons were shipped from the navy yard cote to North Berwick on train No. 9 Wednesday.

The board of pension examiners met on Wednesday at Dr. A. C. Heffenger's office and examined five veterans of the rebellion.

Mrs. Hayes and daughter, Miss Helen, of Prospect street leave today for Brockton, Mass., where they will make their future home.

If you want to be in the swim ride the 1899 Spaulding. It is the wheel to bank on and has no equal. Charles E. Woods, agent.

A large delegation of officers and their families from the navy yard attended the Gibson tableaux in Peirce hall on Wednesday evening.

W. E. Chesley has vacated his Market street store and it is reported that two well known young men are to start in business there.

But one game was played in the P. A. C. whist tournament Wednesday evening, when McCarthy and Gray defeated Tibbetts and Fisher, 30 to 18.

Don't forget the Spaulding bicycle, it is made on honor. An honest bicycle at honest prices, \$40, \$50, \$60, and \$75, at 70 Pleasant street. Woods.

Storer Post, No. 1, G. A. R. has extended an invitation to the members of the Paul Jones club to participate with them in their exercises on Memorial day.

The eighth number of the Guidon, a magazine in the interest of the Catholic diocese of New Hampshire, has come to hand and a beautiful number it is. The half-tone illustrations are something elegant and the matter of a religious tone that anyone may read with profit.

The B. & M. has purchased two lots of land for gravel: one at Hampton and the other at West Biddeford on the Western divisions. The one at Hampton will be used for grading on the eastern division between Boston and North Berwick and the one at West Biddeford for the same between North Berwick and Portland, and on the Western division.

JUMPED FROM TRAIN

Girl From Dover Receives a Bad Fall at the Depot

A girl apparently fifteen years of age met with an accident at the depot this forenoon which might have resulted seriously under different circumstances.

The girl was a passenger on the Dover train and as it pulled into the depot she jumped from a car step and fell flat on to the depot platform.

Police Officer Holbrook rushed to her assistance and the spectators drew near expecting at least broken bones.

After the girl had been gotten to her feet and it was ascertained that she had sustained no serious injury, Station Agent Grant asked why she did not wait until the car stopped. "A man behind me told me to jump," was the answer.

BENCHAM'S PILLS cure sick headaches.

WILL PROBATED.

Bequests of the Late Colonel Charles A. Sinclair.

The will of the late Colonel Charles A. Sinclair was probated at Exeter on Wednesday afternoon, the 3d inst., by Judge Leavitt. The document was of the usual legal and lengthy form. The bequests were as follows:

\$100,000 in trust for his wife, Emma J. Sinclair, to have the income, and at her death the principal to go to his children and their heirs;

\$200,000 in trust for his four daughters, to have the income for life and then their children to have it until twenty years old, when the principal is to be paid over to the children, but in case a daughter dies without children she can dispose of one-half of her share of the principal by will;

\$10,000 to his sister, Emma J. Fowler;

\$10,000 to his sister, Martha S. Weeks;

\$1,000 to Thomas F. Baxter, Brookline, Mass.;

\$1,000 to Thomas S. McGowan, Boston;

\$1,000 to Mand S. Cleveland, Somerville, Mass.;

\$1,000 to Henry T. Gould, Woburn, Mass.;

\$1,000 to Neil Mahaney, Portsmouth; \$5,000 to his nephew, Charles Sinclair Weeks, to be held in trust until he is twenty one years old;

\$5,000 to the Methodist Episcopal church of Bethlehem, N. H., to be known as the "Tamar M. Sinclair fund."

All the rest of his estate to be equally divided among his children.

The executors and trustees are Eugene P. Carver of Brookline, Henry T. Gould of Woburn, Mass., and Calvin Page of Portsmouth, and are not required to give any sureties upon their official bonds.

The executors are given full powers to sell, mortgage or pledge any and all of his estate and manage it as they please, with all the powers he would have had if alive, until the estate is settled.

DOG WAR COMMENCED.

Dog officer R. E. Hodgkins has received his warrant from the city giving him authority to see that all animals are either licensed or killed before June 30. Mr. Hodgkins commenced work this morning and will notify all dog owners to comply with the law at once or suffer the consequence.

"Laugh Out, Oh, Murmuring Spring."

It is the time to laugh, for it is the year's fresh prime; all nature is purified and ready for a carnival of growth.

Sensible people now do the same that nature does—aim to be purified, and for the same reasons. They use that marvelous blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla, that never disappoints.

Its work and worth are known world wide as a household medicine.

Nausea—"Vomiting spells, dizziness and prostration troubled me for years. Had neuralgia, grew weak and could not sleep. My age was against me, but Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me thoroughly. My weight increased from 125 to 143 pounds. I am the mother of nine children. Never felt so well and it costed me nothing. As I do now." Mrs. M. A. WATERS, 1529 34th St., Washington, D. C.

Pimples—"Headaches, nose bleed and pimples made me so weak that I could not work. Hood's Sarsaparilla gave me good sleep, my skin, and cured me." ARTHUR M. EHRENTAUB, 1941 West Fayette Street, Syracuse, N. Y.

Eczema—"We had to tie the hands of our two year old son on account of eczema on face and limbs. No medicine even helped until we used Hood's Sarsaparilla, which soon cured." Mrs. A. VAN WYCK, 123 Montgomery Street, Paterson, N. J.

Dyspepsia—"Suffered everything but death for years with dyspepsia. Nothing helped me until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it made and kept me well. Can eat anything I wish." Mrs. EUGENE MURPHY, Hull's Mill, Danbury, Conn.

Running Sores—"After worrying four months I gave my children Hood's Sarsaparilla and it cured them of running sores. Hood's Pills cured me of dyspepsia and constipation." Mrs. KATE E. THOMAS, 31 Governor St., Annapolis, Md.

Hip Disease—"Five running sores on my hip caused me to use crutches. Was confined to bed every winter. Hood's Sarsaparilla saved my life, as it cured me perfectly. Am strong and well." ANNA REBERT, 49 Fourth St., Fall River, Mass.

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